IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

| In re Application of: |) |
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| Pierre CHARNEAU et al. |)) Group Art Unit: 1648 |
| Application No.: 10/602,663 |) Examiner: Louise W. Z. Humphrey |
| Filed: June 25, 2003 |)) |
| For: USE OF TRIPLEX STRUCTURE DNA IN TRANSFERRING NUCLEOTIDE SEQUENCES |) Confirmation No.: 8007) VIA EFS WEB |
| Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 | |

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicants petition for a three-month extension of time to file a reply to the Office Action of March 30, 2010. A fee of \$1,110.00 is enclosed.

Please grant any additional extensions of time required to enter the attached reply and charge any additional required fees to Deposit Account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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